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PERSONALS

Helen O. Price, Local Reporter

Mrs. Reva Howard is confined to her home with illness.

S. Monroe Nickell made a business trip Saturday to Campton.

J. Blaine Nickell had business in Grayson one day last week.

W. E. Bach of Lexington was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bach attended the homecoming celebration Sunday at Hazel Green.

Miss Iva M. Kegley of Sandy Hook is taking training this week in the local referral agency.

Miss Agnes E. North of Salt Lick, district social worker, is here working in the referral agency.

Arnold McKenzie of Campton spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Nickell of Ashland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell.

Mrs. Bernice Craft is visiting her brother, Dr. Glenn McClain, and family, at Monticello, for a few days.

Misses Lorrain and Elizabeth Jarrell of Prestonsburg spent last week here with their brother, Joe Jarrell.

Jackie Lee, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Winford Salyers, was hurt quite badly Thursday last week on a wire fence.

Miss Carolyn Blair, who is attending Morehead college, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair.

Mrs. Oregan Elam, Bernard E. Whitt, Miss Agnes North, and Mrs. Meta F. Bach attended a district social workers conference Saturday at Ashland.

New farm security workers here are Miss Dorothy Fae Green of Booneville, and Miss Lillian Galbreath and Stanley Tackett of Campton.

Guy Lacy, who had been in a Dayton, Ohio, hospital for some time, has been discharged and is now here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Verna Lacy.

Joe Stacy, who is attending summer school at Breckinridge training school, at Morehead, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy.

Mrs. Parthenia Easterling and Laura and Lydia Easterling spent Sunday with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Cottle. It was the first day they had spent away from home in years.

Dr. Glenn Salyer of Cassville, Mo., and son John W. Salyer, who attends medical school at Louisville, visited friends in town Saturday and went to Hazel Green for the academy homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Yandal Wrather entertained with a dinner party one evening last week the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ratliff, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Estill Clark and Mrs. Myrtle Shrader and twin daughters, Natalie and Barbara, of Chicago, Illinois, are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Manning. On Sunday they motored to Hazel Green for the academy homecoming celebration.

Miss Ella Jo Blair of this place, and Ernest Lewis and son Lawrence Dale, of Wrigley, were honored with a birthday party Saturday, June 21, at the Lewis home at Wrigley. About forty guests attended. Candy, cake, and lemonade were served. Many nice gifts were received and all reported an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swetnam of New York City, who plan to leave soon for a five year stay in the Panama Canal Zone, were here for a two day visit last week with their cousin, Mrs. Sam Spencer. They were accompanied by Mrs. Swetnam's sister Mrs. Sue Davis Gordon, and her father John Davis, of Winchester, who visited with his brother and other relatives here.

Included among those from this place attending the Hazel Green Academy homecoming Sunday were Mrs. W. P. Elam, Mrs. Mildred May and son Raymond Scott, Mr. and Mrs. S. Monroe Nickell, Mrs. E. Z. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Yandal Wrather, Mrs. N. C. Gullett, Mrs. Herbert Trayner, Florence McGuire, W. O. Pelfrey, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nickell, Mrs. Stella Fannin, Kathryn Fannin, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Long.

Dr. H. B. Murray made a business trip to Lexington last Friday.

Garland Leach of Licking River was in town Monday on business.

T. C. May, who has been ill for some time, is no better at this time.

H. H. Wheeler of Ashland was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oney.

Hendrix Tolliver of Morehead was a week end guest of Joe and Larry Blevins.

Russell Baldwin left last week for Louisville where he expects to obtain employment.

Donna Reed of this place spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Marshall Ward, of Pekin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Craft left the first of the week for a visit with relatives in Ohio.

Jim Davis and daughters, of Taylorsville, spent Sunday afternoon with W. A. Caskey.

J. P. Oney and Custer Jones were in Ashland and Huntington one day last week on business.

Oscar Arnett of Winchester was the overnight guest last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oney.

Miss Eula Mae Spencer had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William O. Blackburn of Dry Ridge.

Mrs. Jim Amyx of Caney was admitted Monday to Murray hospital suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Alma Bellamy, Mrs. Alonzo Elam, and Miss Vivian Bellamy were in Lexington last Thursday on business.

Mrs. Lester Reed and daughter Donna spent Monday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ward of Pekin.

Mrs. J. A. Oldfield and son Frankie, of Mize, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Oldfield's father, T. C. May, and family.

Jim Tom Smith of Elkfork was admitted Monday to Murray hospital for treatment of injuries received in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Mildred May and son Raymond Scott went to Mize Sunday and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Oldfield on to Hazel Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson of Middletown, Ohio, were visiting from Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Allen of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Caskey have returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, after a brief visit with Mrs. Alma Bellamy and other relatives here.

Richard West, who had been in a CCC camp in Calder, Idaho, has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. West, on Wells Hill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mathis, who had been here with her parents, went the first of the week to Paintsville to visit her sister, Mrs. W. A. Taulbee.

Bruce Lewis of Licking River was in Lexington Saturday to see his doctor. Mr. Lewis has been under the care of a doctor for quite a while and is slowly improving.

Mrs. Gordon Adkins has returned from a week's visit at Middletown, Ohio. She was accompanied home by her brother, Clarence Philhower, and Mrs. Philhower, and two of their nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reed and daughter Donna spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lewis. Donna remained to spend the week with her grandparents.

Mrs. Mary May and children Billie Nell, Parker, and Jackie and Miss Anna Jean Price, of this place, and Lynn Sipple of Winchester, went on a picnic to Camden Park near Huntington, W. Va., Sunday.

Jimmy Harper, Sammy Reed, and C. V. Reed of Winchester, Col. Milt Taulbee and Mrs. Taulbee of Camp Lee, Va., John Taulbee of Cloverport, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen of White Oak, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oney, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wells entertained with Saturday dinner the following persons: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Adkins and children Margaret Ann and Sonny, of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Philhower and two nephews Jerry and Larry, of Middletown, Ohio.

It's F. S. Brong for Representative. Chess Dyer attended church Sunday at Stacy Fork.

Betty Elam of Adele is here visiting Mrs. Lizz Ann Elam.

Mrs. J. W. Pelfrey of Elamton was here on business Monday.

Thomas Gibbs of Blackwater was in town Monday on business.

Miss Lula Leach of Greear made a business trip to this place Monday.

Miss Letha Nell Blair spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Lena Blair.

Miss Kathryn Fannin of Dan is employed in the county court clerk's office.

Mrs. Leona Howard and Mrs. Annie Whitt of Wrigley were in town Monday.

James Killian of Lexington was a week end guest of Mrs. Killian at this place.

Victor Wheeler has returned from a week's business trip to Knoxville, Tennessee.

Miss Anita Gullett spent from Wednesday till Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Revis Carr at Ezel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Bellamy and children, of Morehead, visited last week end her mother, Mrs. Mat Reed.

Walter Davis of Wells Hill visited his brother Edd Davis, at Jones Creek, Sunday.

Lucian Reed of Lexington, who is ill with a throat ailment, is reported to be some better.

Rev. and Mrs. Harlen Murphy and grandson Cleo visited Friday Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vest at Bonny.

Mrs. Mona Wells and Mrs. James Franklin spent Wednesday with Mrs. Walter Davis of Wells Hill.

M. F. Perkins of Payton and E. L. Perkins of Cannel City had business in town Monday morning.

Ford Meadows of Morrow, Ohio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Meadows, at Index.

Billy, Johnnie, and Pauline Blair are visiting their uncles, Emory and Bascom Davis, and other relatives at Ashland.

Mrs. Mona Wells and Mrs. James Franklin of this place spent one day last week with Mrs. Walter Davis of Wells Hill.

Mrs. M. D. Collins and children Jackie and Janice, of Hazard, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Evert Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wells, Miss Catherine Wells, and Miss Joyce Ashley spent Sunday at Coney Island near Cincinnati, Ohio.

Elizabeth Williams of Middletown, Ohio, visited recently her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Nickell, and her daughter, Roberta, here.

Mrs. Laura Turner of Lexington and Mrs. E. B. Green of Wrigley were Sunday and Monday guests at the home of W. A. Caskey.

Rev. and Mrs. Harlen Murphy and Mrs. Potter were at Carter City Sunday where Rev. Murphy filled his regular preaching appointment.

N. C. Gullett, Asa Gullett, Wm. A. Blair, Norman Sheets, and Bill McKenzie left the first of the week on a fishing trip to Steuben, Mich.

Ruth Evelyn and Gwendolyn Franklin, who had been visiting their aunt, Mrs. David Blair, at Morehead the past week, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Pelfrey, Mrs. Earl Price, Mrs. J. Wendell Nickell, and Helen O. Price attended the West Liberty-Campton baseball game Sunday afternoon at Campton.

Major Gardner returned last week from a two weeks' visit with his brother, Marion Gardner, at Washington, D. C. He also visited at New York City before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Mollett and family moved recently into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carter on Water street. Mr. and Mrs. Carter have gone to Winchester where Mr. Carter is employed in a bank.

Mrs. Rigdon Ratliff of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. John Rose and daughter Nell, of Charleston, W. Va., visited recently with relatives on Grassy Creek. They spent last Friday afternoon visiting in West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Blair and son Robert Lee were at Sandy Hook Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prichard. Robert Lee remained for a longer visit, and Mr. and Mrs. Blair stopped at Wrigley on their way home and got their daughter, Ella Jo, who had been visiting there.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK

We are authorized to announce this week our fellow townsman, James Franklin, as a candidate for county court clerk on the Democratic ticket at the August primary. Mr. Franklin has been a salesman for about twenty years and is clever in meeting people and a good mixer. He knows about keeping books, accounts and records and feels that he can be of service to the people who have business in the office either of the county court or in the county court clerk's office. Mr. Franklin asks voters to consider his candidacy on his merits and assures everyone of his whole hearted appreciation of such support. This announcement makes four applicants for this position and each voter should now find one to suit his or her views. (Adv.)

BROWN-McGUIRE

The marriage of Miss Hazel Brown to Clinton McGuire was solemnized at the Christian parsonage at Ashland at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, June 21. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie Brown of Matthews. She graduated from Morgan county high school and attended Morehead state teachers college. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McGuire of Matthews. He graduated from Morehead state teachers college and attended the university of Kentucky, receiving his degree in law. He is now employed as assistant manager of Charleston Finance Co. at Charleston, W. Va. The bride was dressed in blue with white accessories and she wore a corsage of roses. Present for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Kirby McGuire, Miss Bonnie Brown, Mr. Otis McGuire, Miss Jessie Cecil, and Misses Barbara Jean and Jo McGuire. The young couple left for a wedding trip to Virginia Beach. They will be at home at Charleston, W. Va., June 30.

CLICK-BELLAMY

The wedding of Miss Mary Katherine Click of Salt Lick and Dwayne Bellamy of this place was solemnized Saturday, June 21, at 10 a.m., at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Alice Click at Salt Lick. Rev. William M. Triplett of Mt. Sterling officiated. The bride wore a dress of dusty rose crepe with blue and white accessories and a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Miss Vivian Bellamy, sister of the groom, was the maid of honor and wore a blue crepe dress with natural and white accessories and a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

S. E. Stratton of Hamilton, Ohio, was the best man.

The ceremony was performed before an improvised altar of ferns, hydrangeas, and sweet peas. The house was beautifully decorated with summer flowers.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy came to West Liberty where a six o'clock wedding dinner had been prepared at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Alma Bellamy, after which they left for their home at Dayton, Ohio, where Mr. Bellamy is employed.

GENTRY-MITCHELL

In a candlelight floral setting of white flowers and palms, Miss Winifred Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lawrence Gentry, of Jackson, Michigan, was married to James Gault Mitchell, of Holly, Michigan, Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church by the Rev. Shannon Griffith. The bride who was escorted to the altar by her father wore a gown of white marquisette over taffeta made with a fitted bodice and a yoke of net. The full skirt terminated in a long train. She wore a tulle veil with a coronet of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of stephanotis, bridal roses, and white orchids.

Miss Harriet Gentry, sister of the bride, and well known here, was maid of honor and wore a peach marquisette gown fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and full skirt. A peach marquisette hat had full streamers.

Bridesmaids were the Misses Ruthmary Reynolds, June Paulsen, Barbara Lewis, and Louise Porter, of Lapeer. They wore aquamarine gowns and matching marquisette hats. All the attendants carried colonial bouquets of tallisman roses.

The best man was Harold Mitchell, and ushers were Howard L. Gentry, Jr., Dick St. John, David Diehl of Danville, and Joseph Jewett of Mason.

A reception was held at the Country club. White roses decorated the bride's and bridegroom's table.

After a wedding trip in northern Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will reside at Grand Blanc. For traveling the bride wore a brown and cream sheer wool ensemble with an aquamarine hat.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. R. A. Baldwin and has many friends here. She is a graduate of Ward Belmont school at Nashville, Tenn., where she was a member of Osierian club. She is also a member of Feminea sorority. The bridegroom is a graduate of Michigan state college where he was affiliated with Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity.

Mrs. R. A. Baldwin of this place was among the out-of-town guests at the wedding.

Eldon Howard of White Oak visited last Tuesday at Morehead.

FOR MAGISTRATE

The Courier is authorized to announce this week the candidacy of A. C. Sexton of Ezel for the Democratic nomination for magistrate in district no. 2. We present his name for the consideration of the voters of his district with the assurance that your vote and support will be appreciated. (Adv.)

OUR TOWN WATER

The new water plant so long awaited is now in operation. For the benefit of the users this article will attempt to tell you what happens to the water from the time it leaves Licking river until it reaches your house. At the pumping station the water is drawn from the river and flows to the treatment plant. As the water enters the first basin at the treatment plant, lime and alum are added in the correct proportion to collect and hang together in what is known as a floc. The water slowly passes over what is known as the settling basin where this dirt which has collected together settles to the bottom. By the time the water reaches the filters it is extremely clear. The filter beds consist of several feet of sand. As the water passes thru the closely packed sand the tiny particles of organic matter which would not settle out are caught and held by the sand. From the collecting basin under the filters the water is pumped to the large reservoir on the hill. As it leaves the plant for the proper strength to effectively take care of any bacteria or germs which may have escaped the filters. From the reservoir on the hill the water flows thru the lines to your home. The water plant is under the constant supervision of a competent operator. The water when it reaches you is absolutely safe for drinking. City water such as we have now is about the only water supply which is sure to be safe from disease producing germs at all times.

Samples of this water are sent each week to the state laboratories for examination. When using this water you can be sure that it is free from contamination and danger. This water system is invaluable to West Liberty and every house in town should be served by this system. Minor Teague, S. I. Morgan County Health Department.

QUESINBERRY-EARLY

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elsie Quesinberry of Morehead to Ralph Early of this place, but formerly of Morehead.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry Hall at his residence at Clearfield, Thursday, June 12.

Mr. Early is in the employ of the rural electrical association and he and Mrs. Early are making their home on Glen avenue.

More WPA Work

A project has just been released for execution and will start as soon as is practicable for the construction of 105 sanitary privies in areas around Index, Caney, Malone, Cannel City, Insko and Stacy Fork. The project is sponsored by the state department of health at a cost to the federal government of \$2,505, making a total cost of \$4,528. Approximately 26 men will be given employment for two months.

REVIVAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

A vacation Bible school and revival meeting started at the West Liberty Baptist church on Monday of this week.

Elder Clyde B. Stephens of Hillsboro, O., is conducting the school and preaching each night.

Over 75 pupils have been enrolled in the Bible school, but there is plenty of room for more, and boys and girls who have not yet come are urged to start at once. The school opens at 8:30 every morning.

Attendance and interest in the preaching services have been good, and you are cordially invited to be with us each night at 7:30 to hear real spiritual preaching of the word of truth.

ROSCO BRONG, Pastor

MARRIAGE LICENSES

March 18, Charles Edwin Hutchinson, Lenox—Reva Mae Hamilton, Lenox.

March 21, Dorcie Elam, Cannel City—Bernice Lykins, Cannel City.

March 31, Homer Conley, Dingus—Berenice Bradley, Dingus.

April 1, Claud Whitt, Elsie—Opal Slusher, Lickburg.

May 2, Beckham Brown, West Liberty—Ivory Adkins, Pomp.

May 7, Russell Wilson, Insko—Mary Robinson, Insko.

May 9, Carl Lacy, Maytown—Bessie Mendenhall, Maytown.

May 14, Walter Potter, West Liberty—Lizzie Janer, War Creek.

May 17, J. M. Munsey, Ezel—Katharine Peyton, Nickell.

STAMPER

South Stamper was born April 5, 1887, and died June 19, 1941, at his home at Sellers, aged 54 years, two months, and 14 days.

Early in life he gave his heart to God and was converted. During his affliction he often repeated that he was prepared to go to be with Jesus. Besides his widow, Jane Stamper, he is survived by three sons and one daughter—Amyx, of Hazel Green, Coon, of Sellers, Carl of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. E. I. Dawkins of Jackson; and one brother, Harlan Stamper, of Middletown, Ohio. Also surviving to mourn his passing are 13 grandchildren and a number of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday, June 21, at the home of his son, Coon Stamper, at 10 a.m., by Rev. Harlan Murphy of this place and Rev. Jim Perkins of Eus Kirk. Burial was made in the family cemetery.

McGUIRE

Florida Castle McGuire was born June 24, 1885, at Malone, and died June 22, 1941, at the age of 55 years, 11 months, and 29 days. She was the daughter of Will and Nancy Jane Castle. In 1904 she was united in marriage to Clay McGuire, and to this union were born three sons. The oldest son, Davidson, preceded his mother in death. The family home has always been in this community.

For several years Mrs. McGuire had been in poor health, but still her sudden departure came as a shock to her family and friends. During the last week she had not felt very well. On Saturday evening she had a severe heart attack from which she rallied, and it was during another attack that she quietly passed away in the arms of her husband at five o'clock Sunday morning. Also present at the time of her death were her son Meale, and two sisters, Mrs. Walters and Mrs. Lee. Mrs. Lee had been with her sister for a number of weeks, and her companionship was very comforting in the last days of her life.

Mrs. McGuire leaves to mourn her loss her faithful husband, who has been most patient and helpful in all the times of suffering; two sons, Chalmers of Caney and Meale of Malone; five grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Lee of Hagers-town, Ind., Mrs. Eliza Lykins of Ezel, Ky., Mrs. Lou R. Sartin of Breckenridge, Okla., and Mrs. Curt Walters of Middletown, Ohio; and one brother, Barnes Castle of Blairs Mills, Ky. Besides, there are many other relatives and a host of friends who will greatly miss her presence here on earth.

She was converted in 1909 in a revival meeting held at Malone by Bros. Curt Walters and Jim Davis.

Not long before her death, Mrs. McGuire, in conversation, spoke with assurance of her salvation, and of the time that she had received forgiveness of sin. That she was interested in eternal things, and aware that she might soon be called into the presence of God, was evident to those who knew her well and were with her during the past months.

"O how sweet it will be in that beautiful land, So free from all sorrow and pain, With songs on our lips and harps in our hands, To meet one another again."

Funeral services were conducted at the Enterprise Baptist church at Malone on Tuesday by Rev. Harlan Murphy of West Liberty, Curt Walters of Middletown, O., and Arthur Gathman of Malone. Burial was in the family cemetery at Malone.

CONSIDERING RACE

West Liberty, Ky., June 24, 1941

To the people of Morgan county: I have received over 1000 letters and solicitations to run for county judge or county attorney, and have been urged from every part of the county, but I have not wanted to mess with county office and I have told one and all that if I should run I would have to change my mind. I do feel grateful for the confidence expressed in these solicitations, and it is hard not to answer the call of your friends. It seems that many taxpayers want to draft me in this election if there could be any such thing as drafting a person to run for county office.

The last day for filing is July 3, 1941, and by that date I will make a definite decision as to what my course should be. However, I do not want county office, but I do know that you need relief from taxes, and a business like program inaugurated in Morgan county. I am,

Sincerely yours, LYNN B. WELLS, Atty. (Adv.)

WEST LIBERTY WINS

The West Liberty Red Legs won their fifth game of the season Sunday by defeating the Campton baseball team 9-4 at Campton. The game got off to a thrilling start for West Liberty who garnered most of their scores in the first two innings. J. Cottle relieved Wendell Nickell on the mound in the seventh with H. Stacy catching. The hitting was led by Elmer Craft, who got three for five.

Sunday afternoon, June 29, at the local field, West Liberty will play Beattyville, which is tied with the Red Legs for first place in the Red River league standing.

On Friday July 4, West Liberty will meet the colored team from Ashland in an exhibition game at the local diamond.

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An Idea or Two

Ideas without ideals are dangerous.

The best time to correct a mistake is before you make it.

The Bible explains a whole lot about the preaching that is being done.

If what you don't know doesn't hurt you, that doesn't prove that it won't.

The difference between Nazis and Communists is that Nazis are not only nasty but dangerous.

Some persons seem to work harder to avoid work than would be necessary to earn an honest living.

Many a man has learned to his sorrow that it is easier to overcome a girl's "No" than her "Yes."

So long as we have representative government it cannot be much better or worse than the average citizen.

A doctor most deserves to be paid, and is least likely to be, when he tells you you must take a vacation.

Russian atheists quoted scripture for their purpose the other day, but it is not likely that many American "Christians" recognized it.

War question no. 7,964: Does the Nazi invasion of Russia increase or diminish the dangers confronting America? Answer yes or no.

Any politicians, teachers, or preachers to the contrary notwithstanding, constantly repeating or even shouting a lie does not make it true.

Defense production in the United States is developing to the point that if the British hold out a few more months this nation will be reasonably secure.

That is a good law which requires officials handling public funds to publish financial statements, but it hasn't been doing much good in Morgan county.

The Courier welcomes the thought that it belongs to its subscribers, in the fullest sense of the word, but some of them forget that pay days come around regularly.

The idea of "taking profit out of war" seems to be still just an idea.

The driver of an automobile, who sneaks up on a pedestrian and then scares the daylight out of him by a loud burst from what is mislabeled a horn, ought to be jailed.

Maybe most of our readers don't have any opinions, but if you do, why not write us a few lines for "Reader's Opinions"? You never can tell, you might win a prize.

The difficulty of solving world problems is clearly perceived by anybody who has tried to get a committee of five men, or women, to agree upon a question of procedure.

This is the time of year when politicians have great admiration for the power and wisdom of the people; later on, most of them will be convinced that the people made a mistake.

Are there many people in Morgan county who practice the old idea of attempting to plan their daily lives according to principles, and not in an effort to do what everybody else is trying to do?

We trust we can take a joke as well as anybody, but the one about Hitler defending us from the Reds is getting stale. When we want a mad dog to defend us from a louse we'll deserve to be bit.

NAZIS FIGHT REDS
Hitler's armies attacked Red Russia Sunday morning of this week. The attack, in full harmony with Nazi customs, followed by a year or two the signing of a German-Russian non-aggression pact and trade agreements, and shortly after repeated Nazi assurances of close friendship between the two countries.

Russia had been dealing with Hitler exactly as Wheeler and Limburger have been telling this country to do. Germany says its forces are overcoming all opposition and proceeding according to plan. Russia says its forces are successful in defense and that practically all attacks are being repulsed.

Military experts declare that Nazi armies will probably conquer Russia within a month or so and then with greatly increased strength turn once more toward England for final blows there. Other military experts say that Stalin and Hitler will destroy one another and decent folks should stand back and watch the fun.

British and American governments have decided that the safest course is to smash Hitler now, if possible, and worry later about the Communists, who have more stink than sting. Now you know all about it.

J. Everett Bach and daughter Eleanor and son Bill were in town Monday.

W. P. (PRESTON) LACY of Cannel City.

J. N. ANDERSON of Insko.

HARLAN WARD of Pekin.

A. C. SEXTON of Ezel.

For County Judge

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Had No Choice

He—You are always wishing for what you don't have.
She—Well, what else can one wish for?

She Couldn't Beat That

"You say your wife is bound to have the last word?"
"I never knew an occasion when she didn't, except one."
"What beat her then?"
"An echo."

Maybe

Jones was talking to some friends of a fishing trip he was contemplating on his holiday.
"Are there any trout up there?"
"Trout? Thousands of 'em," replied the other enthusiastically.
"Will they bite easily?"
"Will they?" reiterated Jones.
"Why, they're absolutely vicious! A man has to hide behind a tree to bait his hook."

We Print Everything But Dollar Bills

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

The Courier is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Democratic nomination for the office stated, subject to action of the Democratic primary, August 2, 1941:

For State Senator (34th District)

J. EVERETT BACH of Jackson

C. K. STACY of West Liberty

For Representative

F. S. BRONG of West Liberty

B. T. MORRIS of Cane

C. C. MAY of Woodbend

For County Judge

WM. ("BILLY") SMITH of Wrigley

HARRY McCLAIN of Lenox

CLARENCE CECIL of Grassy Creek

W. R. ROWLAND of Ezel

M. B. WHITT of Wrigley

JAS. W. DAVIS of West Liberty

For County Attorney

BEN F. KENNARD of Matthew

REN F. NICKELL of West Liberty

For County Court Clerk

R. H. FERGUSON of Dingus

STELLA FANNIN of West Liberty

FOREST WILLIAMS of Grassy Creek

JAMES FRANKLIN of West Liberty

For Sheriff

RICHARD M. ADKINS of White Oak

THOS. RICHARDSON of Cannel City

D. H. PERRY of West Liberty

For Jailor

CHESS DYER of West Liberty

OSCAR MCKENZIE of West Liberty

CORBETT L. ELAM of Index

For Magistrate (District 1)

DILLARD ONEY of Williams

W. P. (PRESTON) LACY of Cannel City

J. N. ANDERSON of Insko

For Magistrate (District 2)

HARLAN WARD of Pekin

For Magistrate (District 2)

A. C. SEXTON of Ezel

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

REPUBLICAN PARTY

The Courier is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Republican nomination for the office stated, subject to action of the Republican primary, August 2, 1941.

For County Judge

OLLIE BLAIR of West Liberty

For Magistrate (District 1)

A. C. (ARK) SMITH of Payton

NICK ELAM of White Oak

For Magistrate (District 3)

W. S. PERRY of Blaze

Back Home

At a popular port all the crew asked for shore leave except one man.
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"No," replied the exception, "I'm the only one that has!"

Explained

Sonny: "Pop, what do they mean by stable government?"
Pop: "I'd say it's one that's run with horse sense, son."

Harsh Measures

Many of the political speakers who make addresses over the radio should be taken off the ether and put under it.—Providence News-Tribune.

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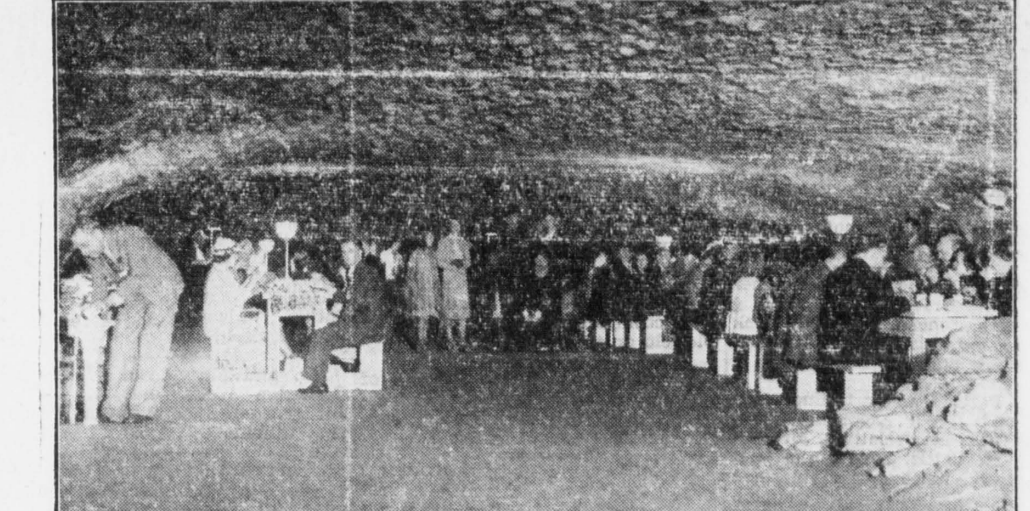
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"TELLING KENTUCKIANS OF KENTUCKY" SERIES



ABOVE: View of Kentucky Press Association dinner three years ago in Snowball Dining Room 287 feet underground in Mammoth Cave. The Kentucky Press Association held its 1941 convention at Mammoth Cave June 5-7. Snowball Dining Room is one of the showplaces of the cave.

(This is one of a series of articles sponsored by the Kentucky Press Association which in 1941 would tell Kentuckians of Kentucky as Kentucky should tell the world in 1942—Sequel to the year. Other articles of this nature will appear in newspapers of Kentucky from time to time.)

BY JOE RICHARDSON
Of The Glasgow Times

Mammoth Cave will be accepted July 1, 1941, by the federal government as the 26th National Park. And inasmuch as it lies within overnight ride of more than half of the country's population, it is expected to be one of the greatest and most popular parks in the national park system.

One of the seven wonders of the new world, Mammoth Cave has been attracting visitors in ever-increasing numbers for more than 125 years. Mammoth Cave was discovered 142 years ago. From the beginning Mammoth Cave has had important part in the history of these United States. During the War of 1812 saltpetre was leached from the petre-dirt in the cave and was used in the manufacture of gun powder. Historians believe that had the saltpetre mines of Mammoth Cave not been worked the battle of New Orleans would have been lost. The old vats and workings in the cave are now on exhibit.

Drive For National Park
Mammoth Cave National Park was begun in earnest in 1926, although there was a move to make it a national park many years earlier. Lands for the park have been acquired by the State of Kentucky through the Kentucky National Park Commission, by donations, and by direct purchase by the federal government, using therefor donated funds and the funds derived from the operation of the caves and hotels of the area. The total expenditures to date on the park amount to more than \$9,000,000. This includes all the funds made available from each of sources mentioned above. The approximately 51,000 acres of the proposed 71,000 acres have been acquired for the minimum bound-

dary of this great national park. **Area Is Well Protected**
The Civilian Conservation Corps has played a large part in the development of Mammoth Cave National Park. Since establishment of the first of three camps in the park area May 22, 1933, the Corps has greatly advanced conservation of flora and fauna in the area many years by the construction of 65 miles of all-weather truck trails which provide the park rangers means of effectively patrolling the entire park area, thereby greatly increasing the protection of wildlife, as well as the detection and suppression of one of our greatest menaces — forest fires.

In addition to the protection of these natural features, and in order to provide for the health, sanitation and fire protection of the visiting public, a new water system and sewerage system, second to none, have been completed by these CCC boys under the supervision of the National Park Service and public health officials. More than \$200,000 was expended on these two new improvements.

2,900,000 Seedlings Planted
No CCC camp could boast of a well rounded work program without expending great effort to stop soil erosion. In this endeavor, CCC enrollees have planted over 2,900,000 tree seedlings for gully control of over 3,000,000 square yards. In connection with the tree planting, approximately 8,000 temporary check dams have been constructed to suppress erosion.

The area is protected by one of the best detection systems in the National Park Service. Four big lookout towers have been erected at advantageous points, which enable lookouts to have a complete coverage of the park. This tower observation is augmented by an up-to-date automatic dial phone system which consists of more than 60 miles of copper wire telephone line that is used in connections with the hotel, the caves, the offices and all parts of the park.

Many Improvements Noted
Recent improvements include

six dwellings for park personnel and two under construction for others. Stone structures housing the machine shop, the new pumping station, the chlorinating unit, the incinerator, two warehouses, and the comfort station in the big picnic area, all attest to the fine work of the CCC in the park.

Nature trails of from two to eight miles along the picturesque Green river have been constructed, and all trails within the cave itself, have been improved. An amphitheatre has been provided for public meetings; shuffle board and tennis courts have been provided, and a camping and picnic area, with table and bench combinations sufficient to accommodate 1,200 persons, has been recently completed. This picnic area is provided with water fountains and sanitary comfort station. Provision has also been made for boating and bathing in the beautiful Green River which runs through the park for a great many miles.

NEW DRAFT REGULATIONS

A selective service registrant who spends part of his time in one place and part in another will have the right to decide for himself which place he wants recorded as his residence when he registers July 1. The place he chooses will determine the local board that will always have jurisdiction over him, national headquarters, selective service system, announced today.

On the first registration day, October 16, 1940, such registrants were somewhat confused, national headquarters pointed out, and some of them thereafter wanted to change the address they had given for the place of their residence after registration day. In other instances, the addresses given were incomplete or ambiguous and the cards reached the wrong local boards.

The new selective service regulations, prepared for the July 1 registration, require each registrant to describe the place of his residence so that its location may be determined from its description. A registrant who lives on a R.F.D. route which goes thru two states will be required to indicate the location of his residence, rather than his mailing address. Because of this fact and because some registrants may want to have their mail sent to an address other than the place of their residence, the new registration card describes the place of residence and in addition the mailing address of the registrant.

A description of the place of residence of the registrant will once and for all fix the local board that will have jurisdiction of the registrant, national headquarters stated. The mailing address, however, can be changed when necessary and local boards will send their notices to the mailing address without regard to the place of residence.

This new procedure is expected to be a big improvement over that followed in the first registration in that the description of the place of residence fixes local board jurisdiction and is never changed, while the mailing address is subject to change whenever the registrant moves, national headquarters said.

The right of the registrant in each case to select his residence address without interference from registrars has been safeguarded in the new regulations, it was pointed out, and the registrars have been instructed to warn the registrant that once he decides upon a place of residence the description given by him will fix his local board once and for all.

The regulations provide: "The registrant shall be permitted to determine what place he desires to give as his residence when he is not located in one place all the time. The registrant shall make no effort to dictate or interfere with this choice." There are two spaces for addresses on the registration card to be used July 1. The first one (place of residence) will determine which local board has control, and the second address will be the mailing address of the registrant. Such addresses will probably be the same in most instances.

The new regulations contain another important provision which makes it mandatory for all citizens who are out of the United States on July 1 to register immediately upon their re-entry. Under the old regulations such citizens were allowed five days in which to register after their return.

FOOD PRODUCTION MEETING

At 1:30 p.m. Friday, June 27, a meeting on production and preservation of food will be held here at West Liberty in the high school building.

It is encouraging to see so many good gardens over the county. This meeting was planned last winter as a part of our live at home program in this county. Due to the war a national food program, cooperating with every county and state is being sponsored. It is hoped that as many as can will attend this meeting. Much work has been done by farm leaders in this county to get a good live at home program developed. More gardens and orchards have been planted according to plan and sprayed to prevent losses from insects and diseases than we have ever seen in this county.

In our meeting Friday, gardens, canning, storage of food, insects, and diseases will be discussed. A display of spray materials and spray equipment will be seen.

John Gardner, specialist, will be present for the meeting.

YANDAL WRATHER, County Agent.

ENROLLED AT MOREHEAD

Morehead, Ky., June 23.—Persons enrolled at Morehead state teachers college for the first summer term include 21 from Morgan and 11 from Elliott county. Mary Page Milton, registrar, stated today.

Their names follow: Morgan county: Ivan Eugene Ball, Martha C. Blair, Bonnie Brown, Margaret E. Carter, Lloyd Cassidy, Virgil Coffee, Norine Elaine Dunn, Wayne Easterling, Helen Elam, Emory Green, Mervil V. Haynes, Glen Ison, Raymond Ison, Eunice Lewis, Florence Lewis, Delphia McClure, Daisy P. Nickell, Carl Reeves, Ivis Whitt, Avonelle Whitt, and Mildred Whitt.

Elliott county: Lonnie Baker, Rhett Brown, Mrs. Delma Davis, Annabelle Dickerson, Mary E. Dickerson, Christine Fannin, Emory S. Horton, Lawrence C. Hutchinson, Isobel R. Ishmael, Dixie Peters, Mae Skaggs.

Nursery School Receives Gifts
Our nursery school project, which is housed in the Morgan county library building, was the recipient recently of several toys and other useful articles, donated by Mrs. Herman Walton and sister, Mrs. L. L. Miller, of this place. These gifts are being used daily and are very helpful in our training of pre-school children. We take this means to thank Mrs. Walton and Mrs. Miller for their generosity.

NANCY TIPTON, Supervisor

JOBLESS BENEFITS

Unemployed workers of Morgan county received \$489 in jobless benefits during May, according to R. F. Fields, manager of the Pikeville office which serves Morgan county. During the month 132 claims were filed by residents of the county; 10 of these were initial claims and 122 were continued claims. Unemployed workers, eligible to draw unemployment insurance, received approximately one-half their regular wage up to \$16 a week for not more than 16 weeks. Benefit checks are issued for two week periods.

During May the unemployment compensation commission paid out \$259,730.94 in benefits. This was based on a total of 18,133 payments and represents an increase of \$28,018.71 over payments during April, according to figures released by Robert B. Hensley, acting executive director. The report points out that the increase of benefit payments at this time when the business cycle is increasing may be attributed to the beginning of new benefit years for a majority of the Kentucky workers.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETS

The Cannel City church of God sewing circle held its regular meeting Friday, June 20, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Benton. The meeting was opened by singing, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," and "Sitting at the Feet of Jesus." The hostess read the 3rd chapter of John. Mrs. Clyde Wells offered prayer.

The regular business session was held and the work on the quilt was taken up and several squares were made. The hostess served delicious chocolate and cream fudge candy during the social hour.

Present were Mesdames W. T. Stamper, J. W. Benton, L. C. Terrell, Roy Benton, Lida Terrell, M. H. Ferguson, Clyde Wells, Walter Howard, Chalmers Benton, and Velmar Benton; Miss Rebecca Spencer, Helen Gene Howard, Orphus Ray Terrell, and Billy and Dalmus Benton.

After a very pleasant afternoon we adjourned to meet with Mrs. Roy Benton July 4.

COMPLETES COURSE

Scott Field, Ill.—Successfully completing a 22-week course in radio communications, Pvt. William P. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Brown, of Florress, and 349 flying cadets and enlisted men have been graduated from the army air corps radio school at Scott Field, according to Col. Wolcott P. Hayes, post commander.

Trained as a radio operator and mechanic, Pvt. Brown, on the basis of his Scott Field training, will be sent to one of the air corps flying fields fully qualified for duty with a tactical unit.

Classes at Scott Field, army air corps center for radio training, which are graduated every two weeks, will become appreciably larger in size by a \$2,824,804 expansion of school facilities expected to be completed by early fall.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

The West Liberty Red Legs will meet the Ashland Advertisers, a colored team and one of the best baseball teams that has ever come to West Liberty, July 4, at the local baseball diamond. The game starts at 1 p.m.

This game is sponsored by the Holly Coffe Post No. 68 American Legion.

There will also be a parade and music by the Morgan county high school band.

The Legionnaires invite you to West Liberty to enjoy the 4th of July celebration.

Picnic Near Dingus

The following persons enjoyed a picnic Sunday at the Milford Cox farm near Dingus: Mr. and Mrs. Archie McClain, Jerry Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wells and son Bobby, Pauline Noble, Doris McClain, and Mrs. R. D. Sparks, of this place; Mrs. Alf McClain and daughter Bernice, of Lenox; and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClain, Mrs. Marion Hutchinson, and Boone Hutchinson, of Elamton.

After the picnic lunch the group went birch sapping which, many will recall, is a pleasant experience.

Board Member Resigns

Gordon Adkins, elected a member of the Town Board of Trustees two years ago, and who has served the town faithfully up to this time has placed his resignation in the hands of the board. The board will consider his request at its regular meeting on July 1 and if granted will ask the County Judge to appoint some one to take his place on the board, as some important business is yet to be done in connection with the town water works.

Wedding Dinner

A wedding dinner was prepared Saturday at the home of Mrs. Alma Bellamy for the newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bellamy. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy, Mrs. Alma Bellamy, Miss Vivian Bellamy, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bellamy and children, and Mrs. Mat Reese of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Bellamy and children, of Morehead.

Farm Security Force Goes On Picnic
Workers in the local farm security office motored Sunday to the breaks of the Big Sandy for a picnic. Those going were Mr. and Mrs. James Killian, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dryden, Hurst Adams, Ocie Wingo, Dorothy Fae Green, Lorrain Jarrell, W. P. Caskey, Joe Jarrell, and Arnold McKenzie.

Discard Local Option

Polling an unusually light vote both Montgomery and Clark counties rejected local option by small margins at a special election last Saturday. Both these counties have been dry and will now go back to the reign of John Barleycorn. The good citizens of these counties have the sincere sympathy of the Courier.

GRASSY VALLEY

Reported by Dorothy Cox

June 24.—Aaron Cox of Middletown, Ohio, was the Friday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake McNeely of West Virginia are visiting friends and relatives here.

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McGuire, a ten pound boy.

Charles Rudd, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mrs. Maurine Ratliff of Michigan has been visiting her parents here the past few days.

Mrs. Kerner Rudd, who had been visiting her parents in West Virginia has returned home.

D. B. Wilson of this place made a business trip to Prestonsburg Thursday.

Mrs. Ida Wilson, who has been taking treatment for head trouble, seems to be much improved.

NICKELL

Reported by Georgia Castle

June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Walter, Mrs. Harold Walter, and Miss Helen Walter made a business trip to West Liberty Thursday.

Lonis Castle and daughter Georgia made a business trip to West Liberty Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelse Nickell and little daughter Avelene attended the funeral of South Stamper Saturday and were dinner guests of Jim Nickell at Sellers.

Edgar Wilson and James Walter are visiting friends and relatives at Blue Diamond this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hasty were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Ferguson at Grassy Creek.

Miss Georgia Castle visited friends and relatives at Hazel Green Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Vonderine and Jean Stamper were in West Liberty one day last week on business.

Kelse Nickell left Monday for Louisville, where he hopes to get work.

MIMA

Reported by Miss Dixie Williams

June 23.—Kenney Williams, who had been in a CCC camp in Idaho returned home Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roseberry, a fine baby girl—Hattie.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith were Friday till Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. Hazel Kimmelton, near Paintsville.

Jesse Smith, who had been in a CCC camp, returned home Saturday.

Sarah Belle Pelfrey and Jewel Holbrook made a business trip to Paintsville Friday.

Dixie Williams and Gertrude Smith were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Ison and family, of Moon.

Mrs. Reva Smith made a business trip to West Liberty Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Holbrook and children were week end guests of Mrs. Holbrook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powell Smith, of Jephtha.

Arlis Ison, who had been in a Paintsville hospital, has been brought home and is reported better.

Herbert Holbrook, who had been in a CCC camp in Idaho, returned home Saturday.

COW BRANCH

Reported by Mrs. T. H. Day

June 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Arland Lacy of Elamton were visiting her mother yesterday and took Wanda Lee Spence home with them.

Persons from here who attended communication services at War Creek Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chess McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Potter and daughter Ann, James and Lexie Johnson, Rosa, Jewel, and Edna Shaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Johnson had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hutchinson and son Ocal.

Mrs. Frank Hutchinson and son Newt, of Elkfork, Parise Prince of Rowan county, and others.

Bill Johnson, who works on the highway at Jackson, visited home folks the week end and while here enlisted in the U. S. army and returned this morning to his work.

The writer was sorry to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. McGuire but she's only paid a debt we all have to pay sooner or later, so let us put our trust in Jesus, the One Who doeth all things well.

Mrs. Anna Pearl Riggsby and son Garland, of Elamton, visited her mother here last week.

LOGVILLE

Reported by Ruby Elam

June 23.—Persons from here who attended church at War Creek Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kennard and daughter Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Elam and children, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kennard and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Hamilton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kennard, Minnie Hamilton, Bonita Jo Birchwell, Kathryn Kennard, Mae, Jewell, and Dorsey Franklin, Cassie and Jewell Hammond, and Clova, Bonnie, and Rainy Stapleton.

Mrs. Russell Kennard and children spent last week at Van Lear visiting relatives.

Prushia Heartsock, who is employed at Jennes Creek, was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Polly Ann Pack.

Mrs. Ethel Hammond spent a few days last week at Ashland with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stapleton had last week in West Liberty one day.

Mrs. Rennie Pack is spending a week at Van Lear with her husband, who is employed there.

Stanley Elam and family were here from Portsmouth last week visiting relatives.

Mondelle, daughter of Mrs. Ethel Williams, was taken to Dr. Murray at West Liberty Sunday night after being stung by 22 honey bees.

Mrs. Winford Kennard and children spent the week end at Matthew with her father, Will Williams, who is in a serious condition.

PEKIN

Reported by Mrs. Christine Ward

June 23.—Mrs. A. J. Combs and daughter Jeannene spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harber at Lexington.

Miss Nancy Ward, who had been visiting relatives in Charlestown, Indiana, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hale of Mt. Sterling and his sisters were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stamper.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Long and daughter Geraldine, of Frenchburg, and Jess Long and daughters Clela, Mildred, and Sandra, of Mt. Sterling, were visiting friends here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bush spent the week end with her parents in Wolfe county.

Miss Donna Reed of West Liberty and Miss Marcene Ward of Ezel spent last week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Ward and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Caskey were calling on friends at Maytown Monday afternoon.

MOON

Reported by Nora Ison

June 24.—A large crowd attended church here Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. A. C. Bradley of Dingus and W. W. Williams of Mima attended church here Saturday night and were Saturday night guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Merida Ison and children Rubie Franklin and Jackie, of Aradilla, Dorcie Morris of New Boston, Ohio, and Dixie Williams and Gertrude Smith, of Mima, spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rubie Ison, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Martie Ferguson of Portsmouth, Ohio, spent from Friday till Monday with relatives here and were accompanied home by their little daughter, Betty Marie, who had been here for the past three weeks with relatives.

Isaac Ferguson, who had been at Portsmouth, Ohio, for the past three weeks having dental work done, returned to his home here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ison of Morehead spent the week end here and attended church.

Kennie Williams, who had been in Idaho for a while, was visiting his sister, Nora Ison, Thursday.

Rev. Frank Elliott of Eldridge was a Saturday night guest of Rev. and Mrs. Arnold Ison.

Rubie Ison was a business visitor in Sandy Hook Monday.

BLAZE

Reported by Carol Carpenter

July 23.—Tennysen and Ralph Black made a business trip to West Liberty one day last week.

Carol Carpenter, who has been ill the past week, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Perry made a business trip to West Liberty Monday of last week.

Clara and Jewell Johnson and Wilma and Bessalene Black spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Wrigley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mynheir and family, of Huntington, W. Va., were visiting friends here last week.

Robert Conley and H. B. Cox, of Zag, visited H. B.'s aunt, Mrs. Pearl Black, Saturday.

Forest Williams of Grassy Creek and Kelly Perry of Greaser spent Sunday with Kelly's father, R. L. Perry.

Deed and Fred Sargent of Hickory Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Perry over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Lewis' infant daughter Wanda Faye is quite ill.

Jerry Brewer of Paragon had prayer service at Willie Johnson's Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Dort Sargent, who has been sick for some time, has gone to Morehead to see a doctor, and spent a few days with her son, Porter Sargent, at Clearfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones of Crawfordville, Ind., visited Mrs. Jones' uncle, Bruce and R. L. Perry, Monday. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Perry.

MURPHYFORK

Reported by Irene B. Murphy

June 24.—Persons from here attending the homecoming at Hazel Green academy June 22 were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Loring Nickell, Mrs. Byron Lewis, and Ben Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Welsh of Hazard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cecil Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah E. Swango of Ironton, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Murphy of Lexington, and Owen Wright of Neon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy Saturday night, and attended the HGA homecoming on Sunday.

Rev. Dewey Havens of London visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cecil this week.

Victor Nickell left Saturday for Detroit, Mich., to seek employment.

Mrs. Vergie Murphy of Sharpsburg, her daughter, Mrs. Richard Best, and Mr. Best were guests at the home of Mrs. Murphy's sister, Mrs. Andrew Cecil, Sunday, also attending the Hazel Green homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Havens of Ezel and children Don, Mary Jo, Sue Carol, and Phyllis Ann were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cecil on Sunday and attended the celebration at Hazel Green.

Mrs. Glen Walton and children Billy and Ora Francis, of Blue Diamond, and Mrs. Glen Benton of Cannel City are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Allen.

Miss Ella Turner of Toliver is employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy.

Wes Blevins of near Index is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gene Halsey.

The Optimist

Stranger (watching boy fishing)—How many have you caught, sonny?

Sonny—When I get another, I'll have one.

Readers' Opinions

Letters for this column should be brief and to the point. Lengthy articles may be cut down at the discretion of the editor. Writers must sign their own names and are at liberty to express their own opinions within bounds of decency. Anonymous letters will not be published. Advertising or boosting any candidate for office is not permitted under this heading.

A prize of six months' subscription is being given for the best letter each week, limited to 200 words or less. Prize letter this week is the first one printed below.

THIS LAND OF MINE

West Liberty, Ky., June 24, 1941
Why do I love this land of mine? For its far sweep of dust and dawn. For flowering shrub and towering pine.

For mountain, meadow, and homey lawn For all its free and human charge. Its normal ways, its wholesome cheer. Seek what we will around the world; Come home and we will find it here.

How do I love this golden land? With all my hopes for years to be. With all my reason to demand Life's guarantee of liberty.

With charity for all the world With prayers for God's protective might That this so dearly bought may lift Eternal beacon in the night.

Thus do I love this land of mine, Fiery with youth and wise with age, Marked by its stately banner sign, For freedom's holy heritage.

For freedom's God hath foreordained, Till maddened greed and ruin cease Thruout this nightmare world of war To lift undimmed the torch of peace.

IRENE VANCE

SHE WONDER

Yocum, Ky., June 23, 1941
When we send in the news for the editor to print And sign our names, sometimes in ink, Do we expect him to copy all we write And type it out in black and white? I wonder!

DOROTHY F. BROWN

MOSTLY PERSONAL

Parker May spent last week at Mize at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Oldfield.

Mrs. Mack Cooper of Louisville is here for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary May and Mrs. Mack Cooper made a business trip last Thursday to Winchester.

Leo Nickell of Morehead was a last Thursday night guest of Eldon Howard of White Oak.

Mrs. O. O. Haney spent last Friday at Wayland with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Wicker.

Clarence Nickell of Morehead spent last Thursday and Friday here with his brother, R. F. Nickell.

Mrs. Herbert Wells and Mrs. Rexford P. Byrd made a business trip to Lexington Friday.

James M. Perry, Opie McKenzie, Ova O. Haney, and Rexford P. Byrd have returned from a week's fishing trip to Wisconsin.

Mrs. Rexford P. Byrd, Mrs. J. O. Haney, Miss Nancy Tipton, Miss Lena Haney, and Mrs. O. O. Haney made a trip to Mt. Sterling Monday of last week.

Mrs. Henry L. Gardner and Miss Lucille Nickell spent Saturday and Sunday at Louisville. Mrs. Gardner was the guest of her husband, who is employed there, and Lucille visited Misses Marguerite Nickell, Aihlene Davis, and Lurline Reed.

ZAG

Reported by Mary Carpenter
(Too late for last week)

Denzie Ferguson of this place started for Fairfield, Ohio, one day last week.

There was a candy party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Halsey. Guests were James, Earl, Tootsy, and Elizabeth Carpenter, Lodusky, Dorothy, and Thumore Robbins, Wendell and Lee Ferguson, and Marvin Barnett, all of this place. All reported a nice time.

Mrs. Sammie Lyniger and children, Martha Lewis, Opal Carter, and Earnest Cecil, of Middletown, Ohio, were visiting relatives at this place last week and returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashbury of Ohio have been visiting at this place. Mrs. Frances Back of Winchester has been visiting her mother, Lou A. Weaver, of this place.

News from Correspondents

POMEROYTON

Reported by Pauline Bryant
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nickell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wells at Dennistown.
Bessie Lovelace is in the Mt. Sterling hospital, seriously ill.
Mrs. Lillie Bryant and daughters Wilma Jean and Pauline, and grandchildren, Wanda and Harold Bryant, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Halsey, near Ezel.

GREASY

Reported by Nellavene Murphy
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gullett and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole of Bryant Fork.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murphy and daughter Lillian attended the home coming at Hazel Green Sunday.
Elijah Lawson and son were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Mandy Richie, of Murphyfork.
Mr. and Mrs. Judge Murphy of Camargo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murphy of Ashland.
Miss Nannie Mae Murphy of Mize was a week end guest of Miss Agnes Nickell.
Brown Jordan of Winchester was calling on Miss Lillian Murphy on Sunday.

STACY FORK

Reported by Geneva Ratliff
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ratliff of Ashland have been visiting relatives at Stacy Fork and Cannel City the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dunn and children Norene, Lillian, and Ratliff motored Sunday to Morehead. Norene remained for summer school.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ratliff of St. Stephen, South Carolina, have returned home. Mr. Ratliff is now seeking employment in Ashland.
Miss Elizabeth Burton was shopping in Lexington last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ridd and Roger and Leburn Phipps spent part of last week in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ratliff entertained with an ice cream supper Saturday afternoon the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ratliff of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ratliff of St. Stephen, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ratliff of Cannel City.
Herman Arnett is now working in Radford, Va.
Herbert Morris of Ashland spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris.

Miss Lena Hane of this place attended Bible camp at Pine Ridge last week.
Mrs. Henry Byrd and Mrs. Carl Stewart and daughter, of Malone were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dunn and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Monday of Olive Hill have been visiting Mrs. Monday's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Patrick.

Edgar Lewis of Grassy Creek spent one night last week with his mother, Mrs. Corlie Lewis.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gevedon attended church at Jones Creek Sunday.
Mrs. Ollie Henry and Lena Hane were shopping in Mt. Sterling Tuesday.

Miss Mary Rudd, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rudd the past few weeks, has returned to her home at Seeco.

JEPHTHA

Reported by Vencil Adkins
June 23.—Mrs. Florence Todd and little brother-in-law, Johnnie Robert, of Little Sandy, are visiting Mrs. Todd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Adkins.

James V. Day had business in Elliott county Saturday.

Sally Smith, Rufus Rose, Rufus M. Smith, and Vencil Adkins attended church at Dock Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Smith and daughter Ruth were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Lewis of Straight Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Audra Hutchinson and Nevt Barker were visiting at Cow Branch Sunday.

Mrs. D. M. Adkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Toney Adkins and family were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Todd of Elliott county and were accompanied home by Mrs. Lewis Todd.

Earon Adkins of Crockett was visiting here Sunday.

Roberta and Homer Day of New Boston, Ohio, are spending their summer vacation here with relatives.

Woodrow Fannin of Crockett was visiting Vencil Adkins Saturday.

Toney Adkins and Cecil Day had business at Pleasant Run Sunday.

Lizzie Wright, who is employed at Ashland, was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright.

Henry Gilliam of Lexington was the Sunday dinner guest of his sister, Mrs. Hillard Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and family, of Ashland, have been visiting relatives and friends here during the week end.

Toney Adkins had business at Peddler Gap on Friday.

Gussie Ison of Elliott county was the Saturday night guest of Junior Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Riggsby and family, of Blainetown, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith.

Frank Day and family, of New Boston, Ohio, have been visiting his brother, Joe Day.

The following persons from West Liberty and vicinity attended church at Jephtha Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pelfrey, Mrs. Stella Fannin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairchild, D. H. Perry, C. C. May, John B. May, Willie Smith, Victor Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fannin, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Williams and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Adkins, J. M. Keeton, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Kelly, Miss Hazel Fannin, D. N. Cottle, Chess Dyer, Oscar McKenzie, and Jesse Gamble.

ZAG

Reported by Mary Carpenter
June 21.—Annie L. Carpenter and son James and Mr. and Mrs. James Fairchild and John Peyton of this place were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and family, of Farmers, one night last week.

Nannie Barnett and Lodusky Robbins of this place were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adkins of Redwine.

Nanne Barnett and Lodusky Robbins were in town one day last week. Clete Day of Yocum has been drilling James Fairchild a well the past week.

Ora Barnett of Clearfield, who has been seriously ill, is improving nicely. Gardner Bishop, who had been working in Ohio, has returned home.

WELLS HILL

Reported by Irene Vance
June 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Caskey and daughter Helen spent the week end at Morehead with Mrs. Caskey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Lacy, and took home her little brother, who had been with her two weeks.

Dewey Burkhardt spent from Tuesday till Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Grover Adams, at Caney.

John Vance spent from Thursday till Sunday with his mother, sister, and nephew, Mrs. Lizzie Vance, Miss Nannie Vance, and Ronald Vance, at Heleehava.

Arnold Helton, who is in a CCC camp at Morehead, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coiza Helton.

Charles Friend, who is employed at Martin, was calling on Miss Peggy Adams Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Brown is on the sick list.

DEHART

Reported by Christine Ward
June 24.—The following young people went to Natural Bridge Sunday: Norman Robbins, Alex Hale, Jr., Cottle, Anna Dehaven, Christine Ward, Clyde and Ailene Robbins, Junior Carpenter, Charles and Walter Perry, Elmo and Eugene Hale, Joyce Vance, Ruby Ward, Kenneth Peyton, Denzil Dehaven, and Eugene Peyton.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peyton and A. O. Wells. All had a grand time and hope to go again.

Mrs. Clyde Peyton and son Wilber are visiting friends and relatives in Ohio for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robbins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Risner of Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murphy and daughter, of Murphyfork, visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barber.

Elmo Hale attended church at Zag Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn and children, of Kellace, were visiting here the week end.

BLAIRS MILLS

Reported by Vivian Miles
June 23.—Mrs. Gordon Carley, Mrs. Louie Linowitz and little daughter Julia Ann, and Miss Betty Cooper, of Cincinnati, Ohio, are visiting this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins and children Ova and Pauline, who had been visiting in Middletown, Ohio, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cox of Middletown spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neute Elam. They were accompanied by Mr. Cox's mother, Mrs. Dorse Cox, of Paragon.

Mrs. J. B. Vencill and son Jack, of Lebanon, Ohio, spent a few days last week here with friends and relatives.

Miss Virginia McBrayer of Russell, who had been visiting here, returned home Friday accompanied by her cousin, Elizabeth Miles, who will spend a few days with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Whitt of Wrigley spent Sunday with Mrs. Whitt's brother, W. T. Lykins.

J. W. Hunt of Blaze spent Sunday with his brother, L. A. Hunt, here.

Rev. J. F. Walter of Nickell held his regular services here Saturday night and Sunday. Bro. Walter is a very able minister and we hope these meetings will be well attended on the fourth Saturday and Sunday of each month.

CANNEL CITY

Reported by Mrs. Bruce Gullett
June 24.—Marvin Stacy of Fort Knox visited friends and relatives in this community over the week end.

Edna Prater and sons Billy, Harold, and Junior, Ernest, Nova, and Nora McCarty, Parnell and Herman Prater, Bill and Homer Elam, Willard Perkins, James Hurt and daughter Vernice, Paul Lykins, Marlyn and Margaret Gullett, Lena, Dalmar, and Talmadge Perkins, Walter Sebastian, Billy Phipps, Billy and Dolores Davidson, Louie Nickell and son Lowell, all of Cannel City, attended church at Caney Sunday night.

Born, late Friday, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sebastian, a fine baby girl.

Bill Elam, who had been in the CCC camps, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vistie Perkins are having as their guest this week their daughter, Mrs. Charley Crase, of Lickfork.

Bruce Gullett made a business trip to West Liberty Monday.

Dorise Peyton and sons, of Mt. Sterling, were in Cannel City, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Elam, Mrs. Lizzie Prater, Mrs. Edna Prater, Willard Perkins, Bill Elam, Parnell Prater, and Homer, Rexford, and Mary Elam attended church at Stacy Fork Sunday.

Uncle Willie Williams of Insko visited Bruce Gullett Sunday.

Miss Ruth Conley of Grassy is employed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wells attended church at Caney Sunday night.

YOCUM

Reported by Mrs. R. B. McGuire
June 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conley of Zag were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis of this place. In the afternoon ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Maxey and son Donald and R. C. Maxey of Elamton, Jeff Williams and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGuire of this place, and Anna and Ray Caskey of Pomp were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McGuire of Panthers Branch.

SPAWS CREEK

Reported by Ruth Johnston
June 23.—Bradley Baldwin of Fed was the week end guest of Jim Turner and family and attended church at West Liberty.

Finley Elam of Indiana was visiting his sister, Mrs. Jesse Potter, one day last week.

Ruth and Charles Johnston, Billy Gamble, and Charles Lykins attended church at War Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner and family, Mrs. Delbert Johnston, Mrs. Kelly Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lykins, and Everett Patrick attended church at Lee City Sunday.

Ora Wright of this place left Saturday night for Cannel City, where she will be employed at the home of Riekey Keeton.

LENOX

Reported by Mrs. Stella Adkins
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Buck Coleman, Junior Miller, and Mrs. Wanda Lee Dixon and baby, of Ashland, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Coleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Castle Caskey, here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ellis and son Hershel Gayle, of Staffordsville, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Caskey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patton and daughter Marilyn Rose, of Ashland, were visiting his mother, Mrs. J. D. Dennison, here, one day last week.

Miss Evelyn Adkins of this place was a Sunday guest of her cousin, Mr. Lillian Adkins, of Rush Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Day were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Day, of Elkfork.

Ellis Adkins was a Saturday night guest of his sister, Mrs. Leonard Mullins, of Redwine.

EZEL

Reported by Ruth Centers
June 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Erbb Carr and Christine and Junior Carr spent a few days last week visiting relatives in Middletown, Ohio.

Mrs. Edna Patrick and Sonja Ann Ward spent from Wednesday till Friday with Mrs. Hise Tudor of Paint Lick.

Martha Ferguson of Grassy Creek spent the week end with Venus and Mary Inez Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Evelyn Kash and daughter Jane, of Middletown, O., visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowland and Roy Jr., Venus, and Mary Inez Rowland, and Martha Ferguson attended church at War Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Osborn of Denver, Colorado, visited Mrs. Osborn's sister, Mrs. Flora McGuire, over the week end. They were accompanied by Mrs. Flora McGuire to the home of their mother, Mrs. Ardella Osborn, of Arcola, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wells, Mrs. Lizzie Kash, and Mr. and Mrs. Marple Fannin spent the week end at Herrington Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and son J. E. and Mr. and Mrs. Revis Carr are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Hustonville.

STACY FORK

Reported by Wilma J. Stacey
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lewis of Grassy Lick were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gullett and Mrs. Lewis' father, J. T. Gullett.

Lizzie, Lena, and Bonnie Holliday of Holliday were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lacy, Bonnie and Lena Holliday spent Saturday night with Jessie E. and Justine Stacey.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Lacy and family, of Winchester, were Sunday guests of Mr. Lacy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steward Lacy.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Mrs. Belle Hane and memorial meeting at Bethel Chapel Sunday.

Jimie Stacey Johnson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stacey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dakota Ferguson of Lockland, Ohio, spent the week end with Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burton.

PANAMA

Reported by Treva Hane
June 23.—Grover C. Ferguson left last week for Ohio, where he has employment.

Courtney Peyton of Lee City and his nephew of Cannel City were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Recie Perkins left Tuesday for Chicago, where he has employment, and were accompanied by Chalmers Gevedon.

Normedith and Naomi Peyton were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hane of Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelse Nickell and baby, of Nickell, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barker.

Miss Venice Barker visited from Friday till Sunday with Mrs. J. P. Peyton and family, at Bird Branch.

J. H. Elam of Liberty Road visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elam Friday night.

Marie and Jimmy Perkins are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Peyton, at Stacy Fork.

Mrs. R. V. McClure and Winfred Gevedon, of Grassy Creek, were Thursday night guests of their mother, Mrs. Artie Gevedon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gevedon and children, of Nickell, were week end guests of Mrs. Gevedon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Byrd.

Misses Treva, Reva, and Eloise Hane spent Sunday with Miss Vonderline Hurt at Grassy Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Dinnie Maines and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Prater at Nickell.

HOLLIDAY

Reported by H. H. Holliday
June 23.—Lawrence Holliday and Harrison Holliday made a business trip to Morehead Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Holliday made a business trip to Salyersville last week.

Several persons from here have secured jobs elsewhere. Arnold Holliday and Oral L. Arnett are working in Cincinnati, O., and Ronald Dngus is working at Louisville.

Lizze, Lena, and Bonny Holliday were visiting relatives at Stacy Fork over the week end.

Robert Singleton and his brother Walter, who work at Wayland, were visiting their sister, Mrs. Myrtle Holliday, of this place, over the week end.

ARTVILLE

Reported by Edith Manning
June 23.—Chester Manning and son Everett, of Morrow, Ohio, visited their brother and uncle, Arlo Manning, Monday afternoon.

Little Charles and Shirley Trusty, who had been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griggs, of Buck Creek, for the past week, returned home Sunday. They were accompanied home by their uncle and aunt, Archie and Aurie Griggs.

Miss Irene Cox of Wellington was the Saturday night guest of Miss Beryl Trusty. Sunday afternoon they attended Sunday school at Backs. There were 31 present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox of Goad Ridge were Sunday guests of Mr. Emma Wells and son Estill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Motley and children Elwood and Wilma Gene, of Ezel, spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Craft.

LIBERTY ROAD

Reported by Laura Smith
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Smith and Bascom Elam made a business trip to Morehead Monday.

Walter Leach made a business trip to Ohio over the week end.

Archie Short, who had been employed in Ohio, returned home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson of West Liberty are spending a few days with Mrs. Lawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Gibson of Hilltop were in this community one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Smith and Bascom Elam and granddaughter Carlin Heene, and Mrs. Mary Leach and son Buddy were shopping in Mt. Sterling one day last week.

Henry Byrd from Scranton is spending his summer vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Wilson.

Missionaries from Florida, who had been visiting the missionaries of this place, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wells and daughter, of West Virginia, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lacey Thursday night.

YOCUM

Reported by Dorothy F. Brown
June 23, Those from this place that attended Bible camp at Pine Ridge were Misses Wilma Linkie, Geneva Cox, Juleta Cox, Bessie Lewis, Dorothy Engle, Ruth Robbins, and Lelah Mae Robbins of Osborn, Ohio.

It was a rainy week for the campers, but all reported an enjoyable time.

The "Hustlers" for the 4-H club work of this place went on a picnic to Blackwater Saturday. The writer was sorry to hear of accident and injury of Ormond Lewis while on the trip. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Don Brown, who is employed at Neon, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Brown, of this place.

Misses Dorothy and Mabel Brown entertained at their home Sunday Misses Christine Fannin, Pauline Fannin, Fay Fannin, Lola Mae Watts, Imogene Watts, and Boyd Fannin, of Ashland, and Miss Omeda Woods of Yocum, also Miss Ruth Robbins of Yocum.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Morgan and son Lawrence, of Panthers Branch, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Morgan of Hickory Grove.

Onyx Lewis, who is employed at Paintsville, spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lewis, of this place.

Miss Ruth Barrick, who is spending her vacation in New Jersey, is expected to return soon.

Look unto the Lord and be ye saved. Isaiah 45:22.

CANEY

Reported by Lily Dean Lykins
The sewing club met June 19 at the Baptist church opened by singing "I'll Be Satisfied." Mrs. Laura Reed offered prayer. Present were Mrs. Arthur Gibson, Mrs. Green Blankenship, Mrs. J. T. Blankenship, Mrs. B. T. Morris, Mrs. Beulah Barker, Mrs. Cartie Lykins, Mrs. Venus Adams, Mrs. Laura Reed, Misses Opal Benton, Lily Dean Lykins, and Alta Morris. The afternoon was spent piecing quilts and quilting. The club will meet again July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Cartie Lykins were visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rudd, at Grassy Creek, Saturday.

Miss Lillian Prater, who had been visiting her parents at Williams, has returned to her work here at Mrs. Luther Reed's.

Ruth and Guy Williams are spending a few weeks in Ashland.

Misses Josephine and Lily Dean Lykins visited Alec Holliday's family at Holliday, Monday night.

Mrs. W. G. McClain and children, of Monticello, who had been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Watson, returned home Sunday.

Cartie Lykins attended church at Bethel Chapel on Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Adams was in Lexington over the week end.

Mrs. M. G. Dunnigan and daughter Lula, who had been in Covington the past two weeks, have returned home.

Woodrow Lykins has gone to Cincinnati, Ohio, in search of work.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burton of Ashland spent Monday night with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Stinson.

DINGUS

Reported by Miss Nancy Bolin
June 23.—Raney Lykins, who has been in the army for almost 30 years in Virginia, and Ocie Wingo of West Liberty visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams one day last week.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson and Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Beclunmer attended church at War Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilliam and daughters Loretta and Avanel and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Holbrook and son Cecil visited at Ashland over the week end.

Mrs. Florence Williams, Misses Ponceil, Mondell, and Geneva Williams, Phronia Holbrook, Phoeby Williams, Nancy Bolin, Dola Belvins, Carl and Ollie Blanton, Delmar and Bobby Bolin, Randuf and Melvin Conley, Ottis Bradley, and Gussie Ison attended church at Peddler Gap ridge Sunday morning and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Williams.

GRASSY CREEK

Reported by Mr. Roy Peyton
(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stacy had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Crede F. Stacy of Stacy Fork, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Peyton and daughter Mr. Roy, and Mrs. Glennon Peyton.

Glennon Peyton has gone to Ohio, where he hopes to find work.

Miss Mr. Roy Peyton, who had been visiting her uncle and aunt at Lewisburg, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Amyx and F. M. Ferguson went to Lexington Sunday to see Mrs. Amyx's mother, who is in a hospital there.

Miss Norma Peyton has gone to Ezel to stay with Mrs. Joane Stampfer.

H. C. Gevedon, who is employed in Ohio, came home Saturday after his wife and son Ronnie, and will make their home there.

C. M. Peyton was in Winchester on business Monday.

MAYTOWN

Reported by Geraldine Wilson
June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Vurl Lacey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Finley Lykins and children, of Dayton, Ohio, visited their parents of this place recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson spent Sunday at Joyland park.

Mrs. Witt Halsey and daughter visited relatives at Stillwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brooks and son Leon went on a picnic down near Richmond Sunday.

Mrs. Wiley Wilson, who had been visiting relatives in Middletown, has returned to her home.

Derald Hatton of Middletown is spending his summer vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Wilson.

Missionaries from Florida, who had been visiting the missionaries of this place, have returned to their home.

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